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Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the Town of Paris, in the county of Oxford, for the year 1924.

Bankrupt's Petition for Discharge. the matter of JACK LEHTO, Bankrupt, {

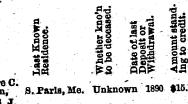
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ORDER OF NOTICE THEREON.

witness the Honorable John A. Peters, Judge of the said Court, and the seal thereof, at Portland, in said District, on the 6th day of December, A. D. 1924.
[L. 5.] JOHN F. KNOWLTON, Clerk.

[L. S.] JOHN F. KNOWLIGH, [L. S.] JOHN F. KNOWLIGH, A true copy of petition and order thereon. Attest: JOHN F. KNOWLIGN, Clerk.

South Paris Sayings Bank, SOUTH PARIS, MAINE.



I hereby certify that the above statement is true according to my best knowledge and belief 50.52 GEORGE M. ATWOOD, Treasurer.

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Among the Farmers

Co-operative Marketing.

(From the address of National Grange Master L. J. Taber.)

wand that can perform miracles. Neith-

er is it a skeleton key to unlock hidden

profits, but co-operative marketing or some system of marketing that gives to the producers of the nation's food supply, a larger voice in determining the conditions under which it reaches the

consumer, is essential. Co-operative marketing can only be justified when it makes for efficiency and eliminates waste. The tremendous waste of Amer-

Those who contend that the farmers

ommittee in its wisdom referred the

whole matter to this session.

It is useless to criticise any of the

agencies that we have now developed

or the machinery used in food trans-portation and distribution, until the

farmer through his co-operative machin-

ery, or by other methods, has developed

more conomical and more efficient agen-cies. The waste and lost motion in the unnecessary number of purchases, in the

transportation of inferior products, in

to a desire for broader governmenta

marketing is what might be termed co-

that it profits no one and injures agricul

ture to produce that which the market

Wider agricultural diversification is

Tree Rings-A Weather History.

Co-operative marketing is not a magic

Can furnish a large, well ventilated oom with furnace heat, bath and

Lands of Non-Resident Owners. STATE OF MAINE.

The following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the Town of Paris aforesaid, for the year 1924, committed to me for collection for said town on the 7th day of May, 1924, remain unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes, with interest and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate taxed as is sufficient to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will be sold without further notice at public auction at Association Hall, in said town, on the first Monday in February, 1925, at nine o'clock A. M.

Andrews, A. F.

"Helrs of"
Brown, Rodney, Harrison Farrar Place
Herrick & Herrick, Land on Oxford St.,
Hiltunen, Antti, Dunham Meadow,
Harlow, Eleanor, W. H. Cummings P. land
Jewett, Joseph, Stand Western Avenue,
Libby, Eugene, Pottle barn and land
Orocker land,

Mount Mica
Mining Co., Land and buildings,
Sharp, Ivan, Lillian Bennett land,
Swift Brothers, Land Elm Hill,
Weston, George B., Summer home,
December 15, 1924.
HARRY M. SHAW,
Collector of Taxes of the Town of Paris.
51.53

Witness: W. G. CONARY.

DISTRICT OF MAINE, 88.

On this 6th day of Dec., A. D. 1924, on reading the foregoing petition, it is
Ordered by the Court, That a hearing be had upon the same on the 16th day of Jan., A. D. 1925, before said Court at Portland, in said District, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon; and that nettee thereof be published in the Oxford Democrat, a newspaper printed in said District, and that all known creditors, and other persons in interest, may appear at the said time and place, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the Court, That the Clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated.

UNCLAIMED DEPOSITS

SOUTH PARIS, MAINE.

The following atstement contains the name the amount standing to his credit, the last known place of residence or post-office address and the fact of death, if known, of every depositor in the South Paris Savings Bank, who has not made a deposit, or withdrawn any part thereof, or any part of the dividends thereon, for a period of more than 20 years next preceding November 1, 1924, and is not known to the treasurer to be living.

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has been studying the sun's spots his food. The public appetite much prefers torically and found a dearth of them from to use the corn crop in the form of juicy 1650 to 1715. Dr. Douglass' further stud-ies have indicated that such a condition stockman's skill our domestic animals took to Kittery in the southwest corner

Institution as one of the scientific classic He hopes to aid materially in increasing the accuracy of long range weather torecasting through his discoveries. At present he is investigating the Giant Se quoiss, some of which have been pro-

ounced the oldest living things. He hopes to obtain data for a period extending probably 3000 years back. Large Dairles Made Profitable.

farmer is most cognizant, include labor of milking, feeding and caring for the cows; cost of feed; interest and depreciation on investment; bedding and other Prof. E. G. Miener of Cornell Univer-

sity is authority for the statement that he size of the business is one main factor which influences milk production costs. The most important respects in a in which a fairly large dairy results in a did not drink milk, forty-nine per cent of the reasons gave health and food value. For those who did not drink milk, forty-nine per cent ic Health Association, it is announced that more than five million of the seals they did not like it. Building charges are lower per ani-

3. Delivery charges are less per unit two in

4. Buying feed and supplies in quan- ing seasons do not materially affect the amount consumed. titles effects savings.

**Example 1. **Example 2. **Example 3. **Exam of these lies in the saving of labor re- ered the foods of greatest importance quired per animal which accompanies a Bread and milk come next. large business. All of the figures availa- Only twenty three out of 400 house men, including the owner, return a were drinking milk in school. This had greater amount in relation to the output, but on the other hand the need of confiderable capital and credit under present conditions contributes largely to keeping most dairy farms of a smaller size than would permit of the most economical productions of the most economical cal production of milk, and further the

Unprofitable Fruit Trees. It is a splendid idea being urged by our horticultural authorities, that now is

the time to check up fruit trees. We hear a lot about robber cows and boarder.

hens. But what about the shy bearing

Did you do your part in fertilizing, prun-

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tilizers ineffective.

apple trees? Why not a record of them?

The Luncheon Club was entertained Wednesday by Mrs. Fannie Eastman. Mrs. Ella S. Heald of East Sumper with her sister, Mrs. Albert D. Park, for

tree, the quantity and quality of fruit af-ford the basis of the answer. If trees need more fertilizers than they Miss Leota Schoff is at home from Col

have been getting they show it in yellow-ish leaves, and they drop leaves earlier than trees in good condition. Anything which tends to check the flow of sap may produce the same effects and devitalized trees should be examined for cankers, borers, collar rot, girdling by mice, and the Christmas present that is given away. Imilar troubles which might make fer. Dancing 8:30 to 12. Shaw's Orchestra The Old Farmer's Almanac is again at

the time when the memory of man run-neth not to the contrary. Of course we chiefly to enable them to mature good apples on all bearing parts of the top. In late summer when sunlight is so imporcannot co-operate successfully have overlooked the fact that during 1923 the food looked the fact that during 1923 the food producers of America co-operatively marketed products totaling the stupendous sum of \$2,200,000,000. Organization, standardization, merchandising and advertising will have a larger place in the marketing problems ahead. Legislation will probably be essential in charting the pathway. The National Grange has been. Every pest leaves its swift agencies, the cuts which head the fact that during 1923 the food down with fruit, have a shape entirely sional showers, some rain, etc., during the subject, and presents it in a direct sional showers, some rain, etc., during the year, which is a safe guess, even if all those things don't register correctly the year, which is a safe guess, even if all those things don't register correctly of the subject, and presents it in a direct sional showers, some rain, etc., during the year, which is a safe guess, even if all those things don't register correctly of the subject, and presents it in a direct sional showers, some rain, etc., during the year, which is a safe guess, even if all those things don't register correctly of the year, which is a safe guess, even if all those things don't register correctly of the subject, and presents it in a direct sional showers, some rain, etc., during the year, which is a safe guess, even if all those things don't register correctly of the subject, and presents it in a direct sional showers, some rain, etc., during the studies of the subject, and presents it in a direct sional showers, some rain, etc., during the studies of the subject, and convincing way. He has at his those things don't register correctly of the year, which is a safe guess, even if all those things don't register correctly of the subject of the subj

at its last session appointed a special paign has been. Every pest leaves its marketing committee to study the situation. A careful analysis revealed a great mass of beneficial legislation now on the statute books, which needed only amendment and correlation to make its marketing committee. ment and correlation to make it effective.
It also revealed the fact that it would be useless to recommend any legislation of a definite character in the closing days of the last session of congress. The committee in its wisdom referred the o Oklahoma parties, and the comment ing to do about it next year? Balanced Ration Best for Calves. That the self-feeder method of feeding

calves is not profitable nor advisable b cause calves do not select balanced raions from the self-feeder, but has tendency to select the more palatable

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CO-OPERATIVE PRODUCTION.

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The nation must clearly understand feed but did not get a balanced ration. ture to produce that which the market cannot absorb and does not desire. The American farmer is the greatest food producer in the world. His efficiency is demonstrated by the fact that he is produced in 1824. This man as was produced in 1824. This many compared to the cost per pound of gain for calves was \$2.0.

Marie Russell and Mrs. Agnes Perkins the cost per pound of gain for calves fed on calf mixture was 10.4 cents, while demonstrated by the fact that he is produced in 1824. This many compared to the cost per pound of gain for calves was \$7.40, while calves on calf mixture the cost per inch of gain in height on self-feeder calves was \$7.40, while calves on calf mixture the cost per inch of gain in height on calves on calf mixture the cost per inch of gain in height on calves on calf mixture the cost per inch of gain in height on calves on calf mixture the cost per inch of gain in height on calves on calf mixture the cost per inch of gain in height on calves on calf mixture the cost per inch of gain in height on calves on calf mixture the cost per inch of gain in height on calves on calf mixture the cost per inch of gain in height on calves on calf mixture the cost per inch of gain in height on calves on calf mixture the cost per inch of gain in height on calf mixture was 10.4 cents.

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farms would reach unheard of totals.

Wide an industry of the control o Livestock Necessary. essential; however, diversification alone In a talk delivered during the Inter

national Livestock Exposition, held at hicago early in December, Dr. John R. Mohler, Chief of the Bureau of Animal The tree as an accurate and reliable Industry, United States Department of assistant in the task of long-range weather Agriculture, told briefly of the impor-

Who Drinks the Most Milk? The U. S. Department of Agriculture oo-operating with the Pennsylvania De-partment of Agriculture, has just recentcompleted a milk survey among 400 hiladelphia families which shows some of the factors that influence the amount

Eight groups of families of fifty each livided according to income, race, and nationality were included in the survey. Those factors influencing the cost of The Jewish group was the highest in milk production, of which the average consumption of milk, and the Italian and Negro groups were the lowest. The Negro group, though lowest in consumption of whole milk, was highest in but-A larger percentage of children under

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SOUTH PARIS

Dance at Norway Opers House Christmas night, Dec. 25, 8:30 to 12. Shaw's Orchestra, four pieces.

by College for the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Schoff. Christmas ball Wednesday night, Dec Dancing 8:30 to 12. Shaw's Orchestra

neavy tribute on both producer and consumer. Co-operative marketing or any marketing method must of necessity of training, experience, and should spring directly from the grass roots of agriculture.

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Then give those trees an application of that the plant at Brattleboro, of the contrary of milk plant at Brattleboro, of the contrary of the supper President Walter that change of figures there appears at first glance to be nothing different in the book from that which has appeared since the time when the memory of man runper plant at Brattleboro, of the contrary of the club stated briefly the purpose of the meeting, to consider the purpose of the meeting, to consider the duestion of a wider publicity for Maine, and presented as the first speaker Government and presented as the first speaker of Portion of the contrary. Of course we can application of that the damped that change of figures there appears at first glance to be nothing different in the book from that which has appeared since the time when the memory of man runper president Walter and the contract of the club stated briefly the purpose of the meeting, to consider the question of a wider publicity for Maine, and presented as the first speaker Government and the purpose of the meeting, to consider the purpose of the meeting, to consider the purpose of the meeting the purpose of the meeting to consider the purpose of the meeting the purpose of the meeting the purpose of the meeting to consider the purpose of the club stated briefly the purpose of the club stated briefly the purpose of the club stated briefly the purp

was made that this was 'thought to be the last of the genuine Maine stage coaches in existence. This comment brought out a response from Bath that Charles T. Jackson of that city still owns an old coach, which Henry Ford recently tried to buy. In spite of all time before the "last" of the Maine stage known even to the residents of the state coaches disappears. Byron W. Tuttle, proprietor of Hotel Andrews, as many of grains which produce fat rather than our readers know, is the owner of one growth, is the general conclusion to be of those old coaches, still in excellent drawn from recent tests conducted by condition, which he long drove on the the South Carolina Experiment Station Bryant's Pond and Andover route, and

Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. This In brief, a suggested plan of securing minstrel show was put on under the this publicity is: auspices of Mt. Mica Lodge, I. O. O. F., Direct community appropriations, unmachinery for handling co-operative marketing. A number of bills are pending in congress, but it is doubtful that any of them should be adopted in their present form. Co-operative organizations built from the ground up, with the calves fed by the felf-feeder tions built from the ground up, with the calves fed by the felf-feeder to a desire for handling co-operative marketing. A number of bills are pending in congress, but it is doubtful that these same grains ground, selected the present form. Co-operative organizations built from the ground up, with the calves fed by the felf-feeder than the ground up, with the calves given their choice be auspices of Mt. Mica Lodge, I. O. O. F., and under the general direction of Miss operative fund for advertising Main the program has already been given in the program has already in force, toward and Trinity have not met on the gridant for the purple of the program has already in force, toward and Trinity have not met on the gridant for the purple of the program has already in force, toward and Trinity have not met on the gridant for the purple of the program has already in force, toward and Trinity have not met on the gridant for the purple of the purple of the purple of the program has already in force, toward and Trinity have not met on the gridant for the purple of the pur

> The solos were good, and the chorus ated or state employes added to the pres-4. The cost per pound of gain on the was strong and enappy. A duet by Mrs. ent number. self-feeder calves was 12 4 cents, while Marie Russell and Mrs. Agnes Perkins With this

marvelous increase demonstrates that This experiment shows the importance with a variety of musical instruments, greater production is not our first prob- of feeding young animals a balanced ra- and all of it very jazzy.

Chandler, who calanced on the tip of this nose about everything in sight, beginning with a feather and winding up with a lighted lamp on the top of a lot of loose junk. How a man who has been a grandfather as long as Walter Chandler has can keep his muscles under such has can keep his muscles under such the state during the season.

There is danger to our summer businesses. assistant in the task of long-range weather forecasting may be the outcome of more than 20 years of study by Dr. A. E. Douglass, director of Steward Observatory and professor of astronomy, at the University of Arizona at Tuscon, Ariz.

A definite connection between the annual rings on trees and rainfall has been established, Dr. Douglass said. The first inkling of such a possibility occurred to developed through long years of evolu-

developed through long years of evolutes state the scientist 20 years ago while he was working near Prescott, Ariz. He discovered that the annual rings on pine trees there corresponded, by showing slight direct value to mankind into valuers of rapid or slow seasonal growth, to the average rainfall over the past 40 years.

From the tree rings Dr. Douglass worked out the probable variations of the sun during the past four or five centuries. He received striking corroborations and two years ago in a letter from Dr. E. W. Manuder, an English astronomer, who has been studying the sun's spots his-

Sale of Health Seals and Bonds.

From Fort Kent in northeast Arooscan be traced through the annual rings of the pine trees.

Dr. Donglass' pamphlet on the subject, "Some Aspects of the Use of the Annual Rings of Trees in Climate Study," recently was selected by the Smithsonian testing to the subject of the Smithsonian testing to the subject of the subject of the Use of the subject, "Some Aspects of the Use of the for the refinement of base materials, cathering of the subject of the Smithsonian goats—have an enviable record."

Testing to the Kittery in the southwest corner of the state, more than 3,000 of the leading men and women of Maine are now engaged in the annual sale of Christmas health seals and health bonds. In all the subject of the Smithsonian goats—have an enviable record." ommunities.

These campaigners for "A Healthier is similar to that of judge of some of the Maine" are to be found in every county other courts in the state, and the terriand in practically every city and town. tory embraced within the jurisdiction of These local committees include members the court comprises the three islands of of business men's organizations such as Stonington, Swan's Island, Deer Isle, Kiwanis, Rotary and Lions clubs, cham-with a population of between 5000 and bers of commerce, women's clubs, parent-teacher associations, American Legion Auxiliaries, medical and dental good part of the time during the year, societies, school superintendents and Mrs. Clarke felt that she could not teachers, bankers, lawyers, newspaper attend to the duties with everything men, farmers, and other public spirited men and women. In addition to this member of the Republican town comgreat force of adult volunteer workers, it is estimated that more than 45,000 socially.

Maine school children will take part in the sale. hree years of age drink milk than do The Christmas health seals, as usual, The Christmas nearth souls, while incoming tides from toreign shores and are being sold at one cent each, while shout Americanizing the un-Americanthe health bonds run in denominations of ized. A little study of facts will show ized. At the central office of the Maine Pub. | that the laborer from foreign shores-

> are to be used on December letters, but the public is asked to remember that they should be placed on the backs of the letters and not on the side used for the address and the usual government stamp. Following the custom of nearly

These cheery little Christmas stickers

ments of this work have been given by numerous organizations and individuals. Through funds derived from the sale in former years many local public health nurses in various sections of the state

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BICKER TALK TO LOCAL MEN.

Adoption of a plan to give large publicity to the attractions, both from the recreational and industrial points of view, which Maine has to present, was the keynote of a meeting of the Norway-Paris Kiwanis Club Wednesday evening. This was a special meeting of the club, held on this evening to fit the schedule o Governor-elect Ralph O. Brewster, who was one of the speakers. Besides the members of the club, members of the boards of trade of the two towns, and

The meeting was held at Norway Grange Hall, where the grange served supper at 6:30, to which about 150 men

other guests, were present.

logical and systematic in presenting advised offenders that prosecution

swift agencies, the cuts which head the sies in our own state. The attractions of monthly calendar pages in the Old Farm-Maine as a vacation state were summaer's Almanac will still be the same.

rized briefly. We have thought that perpapers regarding the sale of an old stage ground, we are only a playground, but not so. Consider only three of our proditive absence developed so much public Oklahome northern parties. ucts-our potatoes, our apples, which are licity. just coming into their own, and our sweet corn, and it is evident that we have other products besides scenery. Beef raising is coming to the fore, and

> In our recreational resources there are two features which are as yet hardly -the Lafayette National Park, the only national park in the East, and the Kal a leg was broken. tahdin region, bound to develop into one

there are many other industrial possibil

Colifornia and Florida have done great and efficient work for themselves. in setting out their attractions and mak- sion to nunt deer with the weapon of ing them known to the country. We adhis forbears, a bow and arrow. He mire their foresight and their enterprise, said he couldn't hit a barn with a

Fair audiences saw and heard the Let's keep on going, and have Maine's Tufts have been dropped and Imperial Minstrels at Association Hall story told so that it may be heard.

Dissemination of information, distri-More important than co-operative and other private agencies.

3. Although the calves on self-feeder in white trousers, and the women in white trousers, and the women in white skirts and blouses. The stage appropriation of state funds by the legislature is necessary or desirable desirable and information. The calves on self-feeder consumed more breadths alternated.

With this program of publicity carried

Hiram W. Ricker of Poland Spring was to State Treasurer Anson T. McCook. the other speaker of the evening. Mr. Ricker stated at the outset that he should consider mainly matters relating to Maine's summer business. When he be-The Dixle Equilibrist was Walter gan in business fifty years ago, said Chandler, who balanced on the tip of his Mr. Ricker, Maine's summer business.

perfect control, is one of the mysteries. ness in the competition which we are Messrs. MacDonald, Gammon, Shields now up against, much of which is due to

Mrs. Percy T. Clarke of Stonington

wife of the senator-elect from Hancock

County, has declined the honor of being the first woman judge in the state of ing men and women of Maine are now Maine, writing to Gov. Baxter that on engaged in the annual sale of Christmas health seals and health bonds. In all because of the fact that she will be in the other states of the Union similar Augusta the greater part of the winter bodies of state and community leaders to with her husband, she cannot accept the the number of approximately half a million are also raising funds in this way for health work in their home states and The position of recorder of this cour

What Foreign Born Do in U. S. At this time much is said about the Contributes 25 per cent of labor in slaughter and meat industries. Does seven-tenths of the bituminous

Contributes nine-tenths of all labor in ter, gave his approval of the College cotton mills. Manufactures more than half the Builds four-fifths of all the furniture. State should adopt a more liberal Makes one-half of all the collars, cuffs policy towards the college. and shirts.

Turns out four-fifths of all the leather.

Makes one-half of all the gloves. Refines nearly nine-twentieths of all the sugar. Makes one-half the tobacco and cigars

HAPPENED IN

Edward Cassidy, 40, stepped on his shoestring when visiting friends in Pawtucket, R. I. He fell downstairs and fractured his spine and died in

Owing to the increase in the milk supply, the milk plant at Brattleboro.

of banking and insurance, has called attention of automobile bus drivers general laws of Vermont to use kerosene heaters in Vermont busses and A cat, owned by Mrs. Frank West-

gate of South Wareham, Mass., bas

James Ross, 45, of Portland, Me., died shortly after his clothing was caught on the end of a moving shaft attached to working machinery in the Smith and Rumery plant. Ross was whirled around with terrific speed and tossed to the floor. One of his arms was pulled from his body. and Chief White Eagle, claiming to be

full-blooded Cherokee Indian, apgun, but could make a bull's eye weary every time with his bow and Manager Herbert Hendrickson of the Weslevan football team, Middle-

asked where he was going, replied some what ungrammatically, "I ain't goin' no iron schedule of seven games. Union, where; I've been where I'm goin'." Rochester, Massachusetts Aggles and necticut Aggies, St. Stephen's College and Trinity added. Wesleyan and Trinity have not met on the grid-Brewer, Me., of a bottle of New England rum that according to old set-

tlers, must have been in the ground for at least 75 years. The prize was

turned up by men making excavations for a gasoline filling station.

lmmediately the discovery became

known, citizens deserted the polls and

flocked to the scene, where the ancient bottle was regarded with awe. Provided the Putnam National Bank pays 100 cents on the dollar Mr. McCook on his return from Washington announced that the treasury department had decided to recognize the validity of the state's claim for \$20,000 deposited in the institution, concerning which there was some question. The state had a total deposit of \$125,000 in the bank when it was closed by reason of the

Dr. David Starr Jordan, chancellor world peace. Announcement of the award was made in Augusta, Me., by sioner of education for Maine, and president of the World Federation of Education Associations, which dithe contest. Thousands of plans were submitted for the consideration of

defalcations of Gilpatrick.

John V. Dittemore took the final step in severing his official connection with the Christian Science Church tee under the residuary clause of the will of Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy in the Merrimac county probate court, Concord, N. H. The document is to take effect at the close of the current year. He was removed as a director of the church by his fellow members of the board March 17, 1919, and after nearly five years of sensational litigation his suit to compel his reinstatement was dismissed by the full bence of the supreme judicial court of Mass. achusetts, May 23, 1924.

Wing Peak, of New Bedford, sent by the British government inquiring about a future supply of blackfish oil makes public the fact that there is a world shortage of this uncommon though widely used lubricant. The oil is used for the lubrication of watches and delicate instruments of many kinds, and there is no knows good substitute. The blackfish is a species of small toothed whale, which lives and travels in great schools and congregates at several well-knows grounds. With practically every one of the

152 subordinate granges in the State

A letter received recently by John

represented, the annual convention of the Vermont State Grange was held at the Armory, Rutland, for a threeday session. O. L. Martin, the masof Agriculture and the boys' and girls' extension work, and asserted that, in view of the fact that Vermont is an agricultural State, the Mrs. Stella Stavoulakis, 15 years old, three-day bride of Antony Sta-

voulakis, was sentenced to the girls" reformatory from district court, Chlcopee, Mass., after conviction on a charge of larceny, while her husband, after pleading guilty to a charge of cal production of milk, and further the practice of diversified agriculture, which practice ultimately is of greater remunerative benefit in a large majority of cases, prevents the maintenance and proper care of large herds.

The only grafter the public honors is The only grafter the public honors is The practice of diversified agriculture, which the corn crop in the corn belt States reached maturity before the first killing frost this year, according to reports received by the United have been established, and an intensive real vacation, the first in the 35 years, ally about 91 per cent of the corp reaches the wide campaign of education on the first in the 35 years, and so he and Mrs. Marr have gone to how to conserve health has been conflicted.

The only grafter the public honors is the corn crop in the co abduction, was held for sentence. The I where they were married.

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GEORGE M. ATWOOD. wave came directly over New Hamp-ADVERTISEMENTS: — All legal advertisements

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

"Russian waiters still accept tips."

Mrs. Ella Warner Bates.

Mrs. Bates was the daughter of Phine

make this their permanent home.

in its own, yet the unselfish spirit oper

departments she found the great joy o

service. For many years she was the president of the Good Will Society.

For nearly twenty years she was the

work almost to the very close of life,

Mrs. Bates will be remembered as the

to many a burdened soul. Many a young

man and woman will not forget her words of encouragement, and that the

brave, beautiful soul death has no fear.

Her faith in the loving Father, in Jesus the living Christ sustained her in the

Knowing the day on earth was draw-

On Thursday, the 18th, prayers were

being held at the Universalist church.

conducted by the pastor of the church,

Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes. A quartette

from South Paris finely rendered favor-

ite hymns. Friends came from far and near bringing their love offering of beau-

tiful flowers.

The burial was in the family lot at

The Approaching Christmas.

"Joy to the world, the Lord is come!
Let earth receive her King.
Let every heart prepare Him room,
And heaven and nature sing.

More than sixty years ago, while a member and organist of a church choir on "Sumner Hill" we used to delight in

rendering this good honored old hymn to the tune of "Antioch." The words

were inspiring, and the tune full of life

in memory, but where, oh where, are

the singers? Of that once large choir,

my voice is the only one now heard o

earth, but we fondly trust the other

voices are making far sweeter melody in

The approach of Christmas day awak-

ens old-time associations honored and

revered that cheer the heart and afford

ly honor Thanksgiving day for its re-unions and festivities, which is mainly a

New England institution, but Christmas-

tide is a world-wide event wherever

Christianity and refinement adorn civilized society, for it symbolizes a gift that the wide world may receive free. Let every one on that hallowed day try to

appreciate its value and custivate a spirit of love and gratitude therefor.

That star of hope is shining still, Its sacred beams illume the earth; It has a mission to fulfill While it proclaims a Saviour's birth.

Wealth Seeps into the Mass.

(The Public Ledger.)

before has wealth seeped, crawl-

SLOCUM

In the far East in days of old A bright prophetic star did rise. It was by prophets long foretold To bring a Saviour from the arte

the great celestial choir above.

EAST SUMNER, Dec. 17.

West Paris.

this hospitable frestoe.

child in the midst.

B. and Laura Warner, born Jan. 15, 1851,

At West Paris on the evening of Dec

still human to a degree.

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\$50 Reward. A fishing party made up of Wallace H. Cummings, Newton A. Cummings, Charles B. Andrews and Albion W. Andrews tried their luck Saturday at taking ce of Annual Meeting pickerel through the ice at Moose Pond. The incoming "cold wave" put an early end to their sport but they got some fish. Here and There. It is claimed that there will be some

half dozen bidders for the job of carry-Alaska is a valuable possession to the ing the mail between the Paris Hill post-United States, there is no doubt of that, office and the Grand Trunk station at Still, we sometimes get a little tired of the argument that, because we paid seven millions for Alaska a haif century ago, and the volume of Alaskan products has a products has a product and the control of the con since been a certain number of millions, son work at Poland Spring. therefore, the purchase has paid as many times, the original price in profits as seven million is contained in the number tree on Wednesday evening. The pagof millions representing the gross pro-duction. A man might buy a farm for five thousand dollars, and sell on the av-

if you argued to the owner that he had paid for his farm from his apple crop in ten years, you would have hard work to LINCOLN SCHOOL NOTES. convince him. Neither could you get a for the week: Arlan Whitney, Roy Slat-Barbara Richardson, Geraldine Swift, job as a business expert with any reputa- tery, Alma Marston, Gertrude Everett,

le concern on the strength of that same Evelyn Cummings, Harold Marston, having 100 per cent for term: Gertrude Atwood Radeliffe. Everett, Evelyn Cummings. No woman has too many slik stockings, say the Christmas advertisements. grade, Walter Everett, Phyllis Daniels, Perhaps not, but we know some girls Gertrude Curtis. Durward Strout, who have too many.

Harold Marston, Howard Sturtevant, It appears that after all that has hap Arlan Whitney, Evelyn Cummings, Wilpered in Russia, part of the people are liam Valley. pened in Russia, part of the people are Absent one-half day: Janet Heald, Linwood Strout. Absent one day: Constance Strout, Clinton Everett, Nellie Field, Norman

Stearns, Eleanor Shaw, Glengoy Strout,

15 there passed out of earth life a rare Cummings. The sub-grade is proving a satisfactory and beautiful soul, Mrs. Ella Warner arrangement, and by a vote of the school McKeen. board no child can now enter it who is not 5 years old Sept. 1 previous to open-

C. Bates. After their marriage they school closed with the usual Christ- Stanley Farrar, Erma Johnson, Hilds went to New Haven, Conn., to live, mastree and exercises. The tree was Llimatta, Toiva Matera, Glendine Ring, where Mr. Bates was in business. In and generous contributions were made. Herrick, Robert Johnson, Enni Lilmatta, where Mr. Bates was in business. In well laden with presents for each child, Shirley Welsh, Zilpha Barrows, Hazel 1900 they came back to West Paris to and generous contributions were made Herrick, Robert Johnson, Enni Lilmatta, make this their permanent home.

Well laden with presents for each child, Shirley Welsh, Zilpha Barrows, Hazel Herrick, Robert Johnson, Enni Lilmatta, by Mrs. John Plerce, Miss H. H. Wins-Hilma McKeen, Elizabeth Waterhouse, Not only the inner circle of home, the low and Mrs. W. H. Commings. Prizes Myrtle Waterhouse, Phyllis Welch. were awarded for perfect attendance to fourteen pupils, and for perfect spelling

ing of this good woman.

The home life was ideal in its thought-About 55 have visited League meetings fulness, consideration and love one for or regular sessions during the term. the other. While the home was happy

wide the doors to friends and "the stranger within the gates." The Bates brated Christmas at their school on Dechome may well be called the minister's 19. The program was arranged in three home, for many will remember the hand parts: Part 1, Christmas Stories and of welcome, the word of good cheer at Poems; Part 2, Christmas Songs-Recital of 13 numbers; Part 3, Christmas Tree. Mrs. Bates was a woman of high ideals, Johnny Croteau Impersonated Santa stways interested in the things which Claus. The room was attractively decomake for the uplift of the world. She rated, every pupil was present, and was the president of the W. C. T. U. of Merry Christmas was enjoyed by all. the village, and gave to this work devo-Pupils not absent for the term: Ain tion, time and financial support. She Niskanen was one of the charter members of the

Pupils absent one day: Margaret Croteau, Clarice Croteau, Viola Niskanen.

North Lovell. Winslow Walker of Fryeburg visited superintendent of the Sunday School, his consin, Mrs. Leland Wilson, holding this office and supervising the Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Mixer have re always keeping up to date in methods Mrs. Lester Fogg is staying with her supper with mother, Mrs. S. J. Hill. Dana Wilson is thur Russell. Under her guidance

the church school ranks among the best staying with Mr. Fogg at West Stonein the state. And what was the secret of this marvel of success? Devotion to Beryl Andrews is sick with the pre-Everett and Billy visited at John D. week. Grover's, West Stoneham, Wednesday.

man and woman will not forget her The Daughters of Veterans of East words of encouragement, and that the Stoneham gave W. W. Durgin a surprise door to a higher education opened for Thursday, it being his 85th birthday, them by her generous hand. For such a They came in one of V. H. Littlefield's

trucks, driven by Harold Farrington Those in the party were Mrs. Elizabeth nie Littlefield, Mrs. Grace Bickford, Mrs Files, Mrs. Edith Chaplin, Mrs. Amy Tucker, and Miss Gladys Parker. The saudwiches and coffee, made a nice treat. the week-end. On their arrival they Vernal Warner Bates of New Haven, and They left wishing Mr. Durgin many re- found a daughter, Miss Marion Cum- for a few days. one grandson, Theodore Lewis Bates of turns of the day. Mr. Durgin receive a number of cards from friends.

Kezar Lake Grange elected its officers

M.—Theodore McAllister.
O.—Fred Mason.
L.—Ada Russell.
C.—Clarence Files.
Asst. Steward—Seymour Butters.
Stew.—Frank Trimback.
Sec.—Stella G. McKeen.
Treas.—Iva McAllister.
Ceres—Nettle Hill.
Pomons.—Hyrel Files.

Mrs. Elmer Davis is staying with father. L. E. McAllister. Mrs. Lottie Butters visited her sister Mrs. Cora Butters, at East Stonehan from Saturday till Wednesday.

Little Irene Merrow is still confined t per bed. Her illness has settled into valvular disease of the heart. She-will be unable to attend school this winter. Edna Hammond was in Lewiston shop-

town recently.
Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Keene were . E. Littlebale recently.

John DeCoster and Charles West are ewiston and Auburn Saturday. Mr hopping wood for W. B. West.

Harold Parsons motored to Lewiston Keene spent part of the day in Portland ith George Brown on business recently. Bessey has been named Richmond Lloyd Mrs. J. L. Bumpus, E. L. Bumpus Mr. and Mrs. Frank Littlehale of West and D. P. Cushman were in Auburn

umner spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. E. Littlehale recently.

Joe Keene is working for Frank Bragg.

Ben Irish is working for Winifred Rob-Cushman spent Wednesday in the twin Mrs. Bernard Spiller and son Willard and Miss Abbie Ellingwood of Mechanic Falls are guests of Mrs. Spiller's sister, Mrs. Alton Conant, and brother, L. W.

ng with a cold on her lungs. Frank Littlehale of West Summer was at the home of his brother, L. E. Little- Keene. hale, Thursday to help with some carpen-There will be a Christmas tree at the East Hartford Methodist church Tues. Conant, students at Gould's Academy, Bethel, have returned to their homes

Rev. Charles Whynot announces that here for the Christmas recess. he will take his texts for the next two or three months from the pews. He has distributed slips of paper which will be Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Hazelton are stay-returned to him with the texts. "Money ing with their daughter, Mrs. L. J. Anand the Kingdom's was last Sunday's drews. Mr. Hazelton's health is poor, ed and moved back so amazingly to text. Good things are in store for those Allen Cummings has not been out for ward the human mass out of which it who can attend.

Allen Cummings has not been out for more than a week. He is having this more than a week. He is having this

came. There is a heat and a human Mr. and Mrs. Morris Bryant and fampressure in America to-day that melts ily of Auburn were Sunday guests of the family have had it, but are better great accretions of wealth back into the Edward Bryant and family.

Mrs. Marhon Howard is suffering with Mr. and Mrs. Perley Andrews are gomuch wealth and never was there so broken arches. ing to Rethel to live the first of the great an effort at levelling wealth. That

Mrs. Milton Luce was the guest of Mrs. week. It is too rough and cold for him
effort has found its way into politics in
Foote at East Harfford Thursday.

Walter Farrar sold a cow to Harold

Mrs. Ora Saunders was at Waterford and return it aubatance to the common Gammon of East Sumner last week. Tuesday. She says Mrs. Annie Hazeluse. Knowingly, or half-instinctively, Albert Fogg is staying with Mrs. Laura ton has a nice lot of Christmas goods.

That same end by their own reads.

Adnie Hazelton has a nice lot of Christmas goods.

Calvin Cummings is around with a fish cart Wednesday mornings.

THE OXFORD BEARS.

Sunday was a strong reminder

Mrs. Evie York of Canton has been a recent guest of Rev. E. B. Forbes. Mrs. Mand DeCoster of Norway was Christmas tree was enjoyed by the ten day evening, when fire destroyed his THE DOINGS OF THE WEEK IN ALL
the guest Thursday and Friday of her members present. There will be no two-story house and part of the furnishsections of the County.

Mrs. Earle LaBay and twin sons of mas. New Year's day the meeting will

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Greenland's Icy Mountains." The cold Norway Tuesday. Christmas trees were enjoyed in each burn, who has assisted Mrs. Rawson in Carroll Cummings and family lost many

Sunday morning registered temperature.

down to eighteen below zero with the programs.

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Everett Robbins has had his house wind blowing a gale, and the most popule Everett Robbins has lar "Indoor sport" seemed to be to "keep wired for electric lights. morning for Florida, where they will the home fires burning," as below zero Paul Willoughby of Dixfield was a temperature continued all day and into guest Thursday at E. J. Mann's. Mrs. Harry Jacobs and Mrs. Laura La. Mrs. M. C. Snow, who has been with Bay were in Lewiston Saturday. her brother, Augustus L. Crocker, and Mrs. H. H. Wardwell and sons How-family in Minneapolis for a few weeks, and and Cyrus are at home from Lewiswent last week to St. Augustine, Florids, ton for the Christmas recess. where she will spend the winter and Christmas exercises were held in the

epring as usual.

Mrs. A. W. Andrews has been having the following program: Baptist church Dec. 21, at 7 o'clock with Song ______ Grades 1, 2, 8 and 4
Quotation from Prophets _____ High School
Vocal Duet _____ Ruby Lane, Leone Bane
Silent Night _____ Grades 5, 6, 7, 8
Quotation from Luke _____ Grades 5, 6, 7, 8
Quotation from Luke _____ Grades 5, 6, 7, 8
Song _____ High and Grammar School
Song ____ High and Grammar Schools
Song ____ Away in a Manger ____ Grades 1, 2, 3, 4
Talk _____ Manger ____ Grades 1, 2, 3, 4
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Talk _____ Manger ______ Grades 5, 6 been in charge of the post office during

WEST PARIS SCHOOL NOTES. ? Grades 5 and 6. Pupils having 100 has been in town during the past week, er cent in spelling for week ending Dec. in the interest of electric lights.

Hattie Bane, Louise Devine, Ellen Miss Thersa Brown entertained her Stearns, Carleton Gammon, Iola Lurvey, Emil Immonen, James Martin, Davis the week past.
Curtis, Harriette Hollis, Frederick. The Frothingham store was opened Curtis, Harriette Hollis, Frederick The Frothingham store was opened Briggs. For week ending Dec. 12: Hat- Wednesday by James D. Billings, and a tie Bane, Louise Devine, Nellie Water-house, Windsor Abbott, Emil Immonen, Rosellen Small, Leaton Sumner, Davis Curtis, Frederick Briggs. The first class in violin under the intruction of Miss Marion Haskell of Noreroge five hundred dollars, worth of apples from it each year for ten years. But Sadie Rowe Tuesday, Dec. 30.

The Sunshine Club will meet with Mrs. bott, James Farrar, Donald Briggs and David Carter for ten years.

bott, James Farrar, Donald Briggs and Davis Curtis as pupils. Two piano classes under the supervision of Ruth E. Winslow have been Papils having 100 per cent spelling organized with the following pupils: Shirley Herrick, Lucille Buck, Ruby Evelyn Cummings, Harold Marston, Lane, Dorothy Buck, Mary Briggs, Nellie Field, Glenroy Strout. Pupils Leaton Sumner, Frederick Briggs and

Third and fourth grades:

A short Christmas program was given riday afternoon, followed by a Christmas tree. Santa was on hand and distributed the presents. Pupils not absent during term: Ralph bbott, Eloise Scribner, John Herrick, Elwin Small, Ruth McKeen.

Absent one-half day: William Perkins. Absent one day only: Reino Korhonen, Gertrude Emery, Willard Farr. Pupils having 100 per cent in spelling or last two weeks: Ellsworth Curtis, Inez Thorne, Eloise Scribner, Ruth

B. and Laura Warner, born Jan. 15, 1851, at North Paris. In her youth she was a school feacher. On Nov. 13, 1872, at West Sumner, she was married to Lewis C. Bates. After their marriage they School closed with the usual Christ-Pupils not absent during the term are Clayton Bane, Erma Johnson, Zilpha Barrows, Hazel Herrick, Robert John-

er Street Light Co. was held at G. L.

Mrs. Adney Tuell, Mrs. Stephen Davis

Mrs. Mary Stevens and Miss Minnie

Dr. Hati and family returned to Mas-

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cummings

mings, one of the teachers at Lee Acad-

emy, and a son, Laurence, who is a stu-

dent at the same academy, which was a

Miss Elizabeth Kingsley of Colby College is with her father, Rev. A. E. Kings-

Charles Evans has gone to Bridgion i

Miss Eleanor Bearce of Farmington Normal is spending the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V.

Mrs. Morse spent the week-end with

ier daughter, Mrs. Lester Packard, at

A. A. Consut and Mr. and Mrs. Altor

Conant visited relatives at South Paris

Giles George of Norway, a former resi-ent here, was in town recently calling

Miss Margaret Bumpus of Auburn spent the week-end with her parents,

Mrs. Ralph Glover and two sons Mel-

vin and Robert of Lee, Maine, have re-turned to Hebron for the Christmas holi-

Merton Rawson of Gilbertville, was i

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd

Mrs. W. H. Hylan and Miss. Elizabeth

Miss Mildred Merrill and Miss Marion

Miss Mildred Keene and Miss Mildred

cart Wednesday mornings.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bumpus.

ley, for the Christmas recess.

work for the winter.

Mrs. Frank Andrews.

chusetis Tuesday.

Absent one-half day, Phyllis Welch. Absent one day only, Eoni Liimatta. Seventeen people visited the school inring the term, beside those who came o the Thanksgiving and Christmas en-A Christmas program was held Friday, will be served.

Dec. 19, which was followed by a Christ-

Dr. and Mrs. Tait wish to thank the Mrs. Albert D. Park, at South Paris, for people of West Paris for their kindness a few days. expression of good-will through and cabinet, the latter of which has just arrived from the factory. These are certainly appreciated, and it is hoped

that their benefit may react to the good of the whole community. R. M. TAIT, M. D. Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Bowker were at Rumford Monday afternoon. They took supper with Mrs. Bowker's nephew, Ar-The annual meeting of the Trap Cor-

of style, and the recipient will be reminded of its value each week.

Eli Grover and L. A. Summers are George Mills bought a cow of Willis and Mrs. Walter Davis are on the sick working in the woods for J. A. McKen-Stevens were Sunday guests of Mr. and of West Bethel have been working a few

their return from State Grange, Port-Quite a lot of sickness in town with land, spent a couple of days with their the prevailing distemper, whatever you ones as though it were but the promise birthday cake was made by Mrs. Raynor. son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Carleton of a glad to-morrow in the World Beauti- brought by the visitors, which, with accompanied their parents to Hebron for her bed for some days.

There was fruit, cookies and candy Cummings, at Auburn. The latter brought by the visitors, which, with accompanied their parents to Hebron for her bed for some days.

> Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ordway and famwelcome surprise. The young folks will are Judkins.
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> remain for the Christmas holidays.
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> Figure Smith is cutting block for All ily spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Judkins.
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> Ernest Smith is cutting birch for Albert Felt.
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> Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sweetser spent Sunday at F. E. Cole's.
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> George Cushman went to West Paris last Monday on business.
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> Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott and Mrs. Cullen Abbott were at Bryant's Pond Monday doing Christmas shopping.
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> Mr. and Mrs. Alpheus Coffin spent Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Coffin.
>
> Miss Elizabeth Cole spent the week.

R. L. Cummings, prominent busine

onth Paris are visiting her parents, Mr. De with Mrs. D. W. Allen.

Mrs. C. F. Barden.

Mrs. Abbie Cheeney, a sister of Mrs. apples and a barrel of pork in the cellar

Carrie Rawson, died at the home of Mrs. were burned, and the tractor badly dam-Abner Mann has returned from a business trip to New York and Philadelphia.

Miss Mildred Davis is at home from teaching in Massachusetts. Miss Beatrice Davis is at home from Shaw's Business College, and Myrtle Robinson from teaching in Paris.

Mrs. Cheeney was 79 years of the flames away from the barn and Carroll Cummings' house, so fortunately they were not burned. Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Cummings, who are in California, had a furnished rent in the second formia, had a furnished rent in the second Make sure of satisfactory heating Mr. and Mrs. Everett Robbins were in home with her sister. There is another story of the house, but none of their sister living, Mrs. Florence Fiske of Au furniture could be saved. Mr. and Mrs. Make sure of satisfactory heating service by consulting shire's loy mountains and came fast; room in the school building on Friday. caring for Mrs. Cheeney. There are also of their clothes, as Mrs. Cummings several nephews. Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Iriab left Thursday partially covered by insurance. Nearly every family in this vicinity. 14 Pine Street, South Paris. has one or more members ill with stom-

There will be a Christmas tree at the Mrs. Abner Benson has returned her home here after being in the family of Edwin Mann at West Paris for a long Jefferson Chapter, Order of the East-Mrs. Gilbert Woodsum and two chilpare for colds. We pay the first ern Star, held a special meeting Friday evening, Dec. 12, and conferred the dedren of Lynn, Mass., are guests of her week. District manager here every parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Q. Perham. Monday. Leave orders at Frank

grees upon Mr. and Mrs. G. Howard Judkins. Sandwiches, coffee, cake and Mr. and Mrs. Corry Bonney of Sumner ice cream were served after the meeting. wei a recent guests at A. M. Andrews'. The next regular meeting, held Jan. 9th, John Shaw is expected home Dec. 19th from his school in Portland for the hol day vacation.

Superintendent A. B. Hayes visited schools in the village Tuesday. S. R. Childs of Minneapolis, Minn. E. A. Farnum and son Robert called on several in the place last Wednesday.

automobile trucks for use about his mill sale is in progress.

James Brown is working in Carl Dudley's store. with her son Orlan York and family, caring for Mrs. Orlan York and baby. Miss Esther Littlefield of Lewiston the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. D.

friend, Miss Melva Greeley of Oxford,

· The Priscilla Ciub met Thursday af-

ternoon with Mrs. Alfred Irish. A

pass the winter. -

church Thursday evening.

Bryant's Pond.

D. Peverley, during the Christmas vaca-Wednesday, and her son Seymour accompanied her home from the Central Maine General Hospital Friday night. The Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. C. P. Kimball Wednesday afternoon.
Mrs. Rupert K. Hathaway and Mrs. Gerald Benson were at Portland shop-

ping Thursday.

Schools closed Friday for two weeks vacation. Christmas trees with exercises were enjoyed by the high school, and also by each of the grade schools. Miss Alice Spiller, teacher of the inter-mediate school, went to her home at School closed Dec. 12th with a very mediate school, went to her home at Mechanic Falls Saturday, to spend the pleasing entertainment by the scholars, Christmas vacation. Miss Louise Wright followed by a Christmas tree with Santa went to her home at Northampton, Claus in attendance. Mass., for the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Lizzle Bennett left for Portland
Misses Marguerite Dudley and Ger-Saturday to visit her daughters, Mrs. trude Perham are at home from Gorham Normal School for the Christmas recess. At the regular meeting of Franklin Grange held Saturday, Dec. 20, the fol-

lowing officers were elected for the ensu-M.—Albert H. Russ.
O.—George W. Cushman.
L.—Mrs. George W. Cushman.
S.—Everett Howe.
A. S.—Theodore Dunham.
Chap.—John Howe.
Treas.—Mrs. Florence Cushman.
Sec.—G. W. Q. Perham.
G. K.—Otis Dudley.
Pomona—Hilda Ring.
Wildra—Theras Brown.

W. M. Ellis Davis gave an interesting The installation of officers will be held at the next regular meeting Saturday afternoon, Jan. 3, and light refreshments

Mrs. Wilmer Bradeen and Mrs. Ray

There will be no public observance of Christmas here, but a few private trees will be ready for Santa Claus' visit. yet they give no signs of "hitching up."

Mrs. Rachel Eastman and Mrs. Effic

ent Oxford County friend can be made

Thomas E. Westleigh and Tom Burris of West Bethel have been working a few days for Myron Morrill.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cash are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter, Lillian Suste.

Mrs. E. A. Grover was in Bethel on business Thursday.

Quite a lot of sickness in town with the prevailing distemper, whatever you call it.

Mrs. S. Westleigh has been confined to her bed for some days.

F. I. Bean has been at his mill to work for a few days.

North Woodstock

HOUSTUS A. POTTLE and V. LAFOREST THOMAS, Individually and as co-partners and record and State of Maine, in said District, respectfully represents, that on the 12th day of July, last past, they were duly adjuged bankrupt under the Acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy; that they have duly surrendered all their property and rights of property, and has fully compiled with a lithe requirements of said Acts and of the orders of Court touching their bankruptcy.

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ORDER OF NOTICE THEREON.

A RADIO

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Those long, cold, winter evenings pass all too quickly when there is a radio in your house. We have a complete line of radio sets.

The Radiola two, America's best two tube set—to. the Kennedy five-tube set, the finest in Radio that can be had. The set that during the Trans-Atlantic Test that repeatedly heard London, Brussells and Paris, France, in South Paris, Maine.

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Take Care of the Men and Boys at Our Two Clothing Stores Useful In Every Respect Presents That Will Please Them,

PRICES YOU CAN AFFORD TO PAY

Neckwear Sweaters Handkerchiefs Bath Robes Suits Belts

Bank Book Lost. Grant Magoun, Chester Thomas and H. L. Shaw are working for Elmer L. Child near Black Mountain.

Several of the farmers have been at work repairing their telephone line the past week.

The Dickvale school closed Dec. 19th with entertainment and tree in the afternoon.

Butta Book Look Look.

Notice having been given this Bank as required by law that Deposit Book Number 98 in name of James T. Warren has been lost or destroyed and that the depositor desires a new book of deposit issued; notice is hereby given that unless said lost book shall be presented at this bank within the time required by law, a new book will be issued and the public law, a new book will be issued and the public shereby warned against the illegal use of said lost book.

Buctfield Branch of Buckfield Branch of PARIS TRUST COMPANY.
By Morton P. Garland, Manager.
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L. F. COLBY,

District Manager, Auburn, Maine

Announcements correctly Printed at the oxford Democrat Office.

Appreciated

Etta Bowker is staying at S: Searles' Ezra Staples has a crew of men lumbering on the farm in Woodstock known as the Charles Bisbee place. Arthur Eastman has his lumber job nearly done. He plans to haul the birch Gift Gloves Are to the mill as soon as the sledding is

R. S. Tracy is improving slowly. Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Morrill have gon

E. P. Rafuse of Rumford was a supper

F. G. French has purchased several

o New Hampshire for the winter. Mrs. Morrill is in poor health. Miss Jennie Gordon visited her brother George and family in Dickvale recently

Elwyn Storey carried Stewart Ham blin, S. W. Bennett, Mrs. Leon Bennett Mrs. Charles Linnell and Mrs. Claude Linnell to Berlin last Saturday to do Cecil Pullen and Miss Pearl Bennett. Mrs. Nora Bennett is caring for Mrs.

Mrs. George Noyes, who has been ill, is reported as gaining. In last week's is-sue of the Democrat her name was given Alice Davenport Noyes, and it should have read Abbie Davenport Noyes. William Crockett is doing butchering Mr. and Mrs. Thomas DeCosta and son John of Rumford are visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Bradeen and other relatives. Miss Dorothy Wilbur was a guest of Mrs. Alice Turner Tuesday afternoon.

Proposals For Wood. We are now ready to receive proposals for the year's wood. Schedule may be seen at the office of the superintendent of schools where bids will be received up to Jan. 1, 1925 We reserve the right to reject any or

Dec. 22, 1924. S. S. Committee of Paris.

Notice of Annual Meeting.

G. W. RICHARDSON, Secretary.

the matter of POTTLE & THOMAS,

Miss Elizabeth Cole spent the weekend with her sister at Bryant's Pond and aftended the high school entertainment.

Herman Cole and C. A. Smith have finished cutting logs for Henry Russ, and are cutting birch for Guy Hemingway.

stated.

Witness the Hon. John A. Peters, Judge of the said Court, and the seal thereof, at Portland, in said District, on the 20th day of Dec., A.D. 1924.

[L. S.] JOHN F. KNOW LTON, Clerk.

Attest:—JOHN F. KNOW LTON, Clerk.

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A Gift of Neckwear

Is Always Welcome.

A splendid assortment of silk

or wool Scarfs and Collars and

'Cuffs, including the much wanted

Peter Pan sets.

In serge, wool checks and Tweed

in a good assortlittle styles and all

New lot of Misses', Women's and at very attractive prices.

ber of the many useful and practical articles we have grouped for convenient selection at moderate prices.

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Especially when they are selected here under theseal confidence. All the newest in kind and style in really fine Gloves await your choice.

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The Gift of Leather Has Many Devotees



It has the quality that endures for years, which is a fine point of satisfaction between friends. Many new bags for your selection.

Gift Hosiery for Father,

Mother and the Kids

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Silk Stockings

from \$1.00 up.

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TWO MORE SHOPPING DAYS UNTIL

CHRISTMAS

Not a day to spare if you are

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Handkerchiefs to Please Any Man, Woman or Child



Silken Undergarments

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the Merchant Store to help you. In a great va-Gifts are suggested because riety for your selection, from 5c up. See the new lace handkerchief for misses and

they are practical as well as attractive and moderately priced. Garment Department.

Our Christmas Sale of Coats and Dresses Now in Progress.

Every garment now marked at the January Clearance Sale prices, meaning a saving of 1-3 and even 1-2 in some instances of the regular fair price. Why not a coat for her Christmas present?

Women's and Children's Dresses

All go in at this time at the January Clearance Sale prices. A good time to buy the girl and mother a dress for

Children's Coats

In a good assortment, ages 2 to 14, now marked at the Clearance Sale prices meaning a saving of fully 1-3 or more.

Kimonas

Children's blanket kimonas just received

We mention here only a small num-

Beads, Necklaces, etc

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everyone needs



a perfect Christmas gift and we have a splendid assortment of the new moderately priced articles for your selection.

isters Tuesday evening, Dec.

Maine Power Co. a few days they were turned on Sature This is done by the Merchants H. L. Fogg has sold the Centurn in Maxim Block to good, formerly of Lewiston, taken possession of the resta continues the business. Mr. ought the Woodbine on M: Albert D. Park, who has be with the prevailing distemp ast two weeks or so, is a ir. Park suffered with an atta oughs such as is one of th coonghs continued for man lors they could be stopped.

The recently organized to ball team will play its first Bryant's Pond A. A., at the h ym Friday evening, Dec. 26 o'clock. This is strictly a t laying for sport only. Cont he sport will depend upon t ge given. Tickets 35 cents e Along the line of the "M

Christmas day, as they used that the post office force at I nally has the afternoon off. post office will be or holiday hours, 8 to 11 A. M probably be open again for ϵ tween 5 and 6. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie L. Mass nicely located for the winter t E. 125 6th St. North, St. Fla., and are enjoying nice war though Mr. Mason writes ho

The Democrat on Saturday the most valuable packages that may be found even in mas season. It was a pasteb ession of Levi Richard trap in his pasture on the nber. It's a beauty. No ver lox is the fancy of fancie No mistake was made by bureau in forecasting that c which we had several days' which finally reached us Sat Thermometers Sunday mor from 12 to 20 below zero,

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that your teachers realize a of solidifying the profession the National Education Association Association (Association)

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Miss Leota Schoff is assisting Miss Glenna Starbird is at hou The Sunday forenoon train, eas

SOUTH PAR

Newspapers.

our hours late, going down Howard Shaw is now the regul A meeting of the South Paris Miss Geneva Young is at hor er teaching in Brockton, Mass. J. L. Wilson, Jr., of Harvard is with his parents, Rev.

The town schools closed Fr holiday vacation, to open Misses Marjorle Edwards and hapman are at home from Gorl mal School for the holiday vaca Mrs. Nellie M. Hayes of Baug guest of her son and wife, Mr. a Alden B. Hayes, during the vaca

Mrs. Ella W. Burbank goes and this week to spend Christi New Year with the family of H. The factory of the Mason Mar Co. is shut down for the ek, during which time repair The scholars of the Universa School are requested to me for rehearsal Wednesd

J. Harold Neal underwent eration in a Portland hose week for a case of appendic me unusual features. Harold T. Briggs of Mecha and Donald S. Briggs of Wilt been here for a few days to andmother, Mrs. Louise J. Br There will be a meeting of the

tion. Refreshments furnished brothers. Don't forget to bring age for the Christmas exchange Because of the severe cold no services were held at the U church Sunday. The special Mrs. Mary H. Crockett and Richard Crockett went on Sa Abington, Mass., where Mrs. expects to spend some months laughters. Richard will ren Market Square is ablaze molored electric lights, sever them having been strung by

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depend on you as individuations for furthering the int profession. You and your a to be congratulated on this

he executive committee ve Leslie P. Marston of Hav ormerly of South Paris, soted as one of five private England to receive prelimited for West Point. These best property and the West Point school at Fort Banks, With Once through this fitting of Once through this fitting co as soldiers up to a certain sent there from the various all areas of the country. member of Co. B. Fifth U. He is the son of William P. Rligabeth Newell (Marstor died soon after he we have died soon after he was bor remarried and now lives in

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Harper's Weekly.

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The recently organized town basket il team will play its first game with Taylor reading the story.

along the line of the "Mail early" oltion it is well to remember that te rural carriers do not go out on tristmas day, as they used to. Also lattle post office force at least nomi-I has the afternoon off. The South

One hundred per cent in spelling, One hundred per cent in spelling, former that he has sent to the South until it was shown to him.

One hundred per cent in spelling, Grade 6: Genevieve Trask, Ava Grant, Evelyn Rowe, Evelyn Record, Franklyn Handler Stevens, Record, Franklyn Goldsmith, Pauline Paine, Lena Libbey, Gilbert Stevens, Ralph Corliss, Early Many Goldsmith, Pauline Paine, Lena Libbey, Gilbert Stevens, Ralph Corliss, Early Many Goldsmith, Pauline Paine, Lena Libbey, Gilbert Stevens, Ralph Corliss, Early Goldsmith, Pauline Paine, Lena Libbey, Gilbert Stevens, Ralph Corliss, Early Goldsmith, Pauline Paine, Lena Libbey, Gilbert Stevens, Ralph Corliss, Early Goldsmith, Pauline Paine, Lena Libbey, Gilbert Stevens, Ralph Corliss, Early Goldsmith, Pauline Paine, Lena Libbey, Gilbert Stevens, Ralph Corliss, Early Goldsmith, Pauline Paine, Lena Libbey, Gilbert Stevens, Ralph Corliss, Early Corli

Twelve Maine men have recently been Twelve Maine men have recently been meder. It's a beauty. No wonder sil-

Meh finally reached us Saturday night. Rumford, Infantry. temometers Sunday morning ranged ton 12 to 20 below zero, with a lively reze blowing, and the highest mark teched for the day was 3 below. Sunwas not a day to tempt to automo-

One hundred per cent of the teachers of the high school, South Paris, are entitled in the National Education Association from the United States Steel Corporations, according to a report received by its accreting to a repor

Leglic P. Marston of Haverhill, Mass., as humming birds. and to receive preliminary training of West Point. These boys are now adying at the West Point preparatory deoi at Fort Banks, Winthrop, Mass. Hareas of the country. Marston is a newber of Co. B. Fifth U. S. Infantry. la it the son of William P. and the late bath Newell (Marston). His mother

Myles Record of Abington, Mass., is the guest of friends here. Miss Doris I. Kerr is at home from her GOOD SALES AND FIRST-CLASS PLAY teaching at Sanford for the vacation. Miss Mary Slattery is visiting her aunt, Mrs. B. S. Doe, at Peak's Island for a

The pianoforte pupils of Gladys Doran Davis enjoyed a Christmas tree at her ome Saturday afternoon.

As usual, the stores and business articles.

The as loward's drug store will be open from

Rev. O. L. Stone of Norway supplied the pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday. Rev. J. L. Wilson, the pastor, still suf-

Hena Starbird is at home from that he is slowly recovering from his serious illness of the past few weeks. He is quite comfortable at this writing, ne is quite comfortable at this writing, and hopes are entertained that he will soon be restored to his former condition

and does not show improvement.

(Additional locals on page 1.) Sunday Fire at Norway.

ESTAURANT, LAUNDRY, AND LIVING APARTMENTS DAMAGED.

In the bitter cold of Sunday forence the Norway fire department was called lock on Main Street. The fire started soon after ten near the chimney, in the apartments occupied by M. L. Greenleaf and family on the second floor. Good work by the firemen confined the blaze to that building. It was necessary to cut holes in the roof and walls of the uilding to get at the fire. Mrs. Sadie McAllister and Mrs. Hattie Slake, who also occupied apartments or

he second floor, were driven out by the noke, and Mrs. Blake, who is 80 years f age and feeble, had to be carried out. The building is owned by C. E. Brad ford, who purchased it not long ago from George F. Hathaway. On the first floor are the Norway Laundry, owned by Mr. Bradford, and Greenleaf's cafe, owned by Mr. Greenleaf. Both of these sufered considerable water and smoke

Break at the High School: Some time Friday night the South Paris ration in a Portland hospital last High School building was broken into, the last for a case of appendicitis, with door of the boiler room at the rear of the building being forced with a bar. The maranders turned on the hose and flooded gi Roald T. Briggs of meetistic the boiler room with several inches at Roald S. Briggs of Wilton have water. They also opened the water feed to the boilers, as a consequence of which the entire heating system filled with the boiler room with several inches o

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in other parts of the building, and some dently mischief and not plunder, as nothing was taken. The selectmen have offered a reward of fifty dollars for the arrest and conviction of the guilty parties.

Christmas Festivals and Trees. Observance of the Christmas season will be made by each of the several Sunday Schools of the place, as usual.

At the Congregational church a covtentaving been strung by the Central At the Congregational church a covfice Power Co. a few days since, and creed dish supper will be served Wednestent were turned on Saturday night. day night, followed by a program of exeroises, and a tree. Supper as 5:30.

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At the Congregational church a covhas also made one, and verna motive
has also made one.

The Junior High School Christmas
program, Thursday afternoon, was deightful. The group of Christmas carols
was very fine indeed. An audience of 75
was present. A Christmas tree and
social followed the entertainment. cot, formerly of Lewiston, who has the pageant, "The Spirit of the Christ," his possession of the restaurant and will be presented in the auditorium. Folge this possession of the restaurant and will be presented in the auditorium. Folgames were played in the gymnasium becames the business. Mr. Fogg has lowing this the gifts from a large Christ-tween teams from the boys' and girls' kight the Woodbine on Main Street, mas tree will be distributed. All parents squads.

and children are especially requested to The Latin Club held the last meeting take notice and attend. A good time is of the term Wednesday evening. A Abert D. Park, who has been quite ill take notice and attenu. A good with the prevailing distemper for the prepared for all.

A covered dish supper will be served at the Baptist church at 6:30 Wednesday night, to be followed by Christmas exercises by the children and a Christmas with the country of the country of the children and a Christmas with the children and attenu.

tree.
Sunday evening at the Baptist church
the pantomime, "What Made the Chimes Ring," was presented, Mrs. Margaret At the Universalist church a supper will be served at 6:30 Wednesday night, in this is strictly a town team, and later there will be a program of ex-

In the church and the Sunday a town team, and later there will be no large for anything, and all who are interested in the church and the Sunday along the line of the "Mail early". School are cordially invited to both the supper and the exercises.

In the United States District Court at Portland Tuesday, Ned I.-Swan of Bry-ant's Pond pleaded guilty to embezzle-pointly be open again for a while be- a fine of \$250. The secret indictment on them 5 and 6. which he was arraigned charged him It and Mrs. Leslie L. Mason are now with appropriating approximately \$500 tely located for the winter in a home to his own use, but all counts except one # E. 125 6th St. North, St. Petersburg, concerning \$40 27 were nol prossed at the It, and are enjoying nice warm weather, request of District Attorney Frederick R. Singh Mr. Mason writes home that it Dyer. Mr. Swan stated that he did not the same that it Dyer. Mr. Swan stated that he did not the same that it Dyer.

democration Saturday saw one of Miss Mary Lyon, a freshman in Ste-demost valuable packages of its size phens High School at Rumford, fell datmay be found even in this Christ- while on skis near her home on the 14th,

terfor is the fancy of fancies in furs.

No mistake was made by the weather busin forecasting that cold wave, of alich we had several days' warning, and Rumford, Infantry; Frank S. Burden, in the factor of the fa

The Argentine Grasshopper Pest. EAST ORANGE, N. J., Dec. 16, 1924. The S. S. Tuscaloosa City, A. W. Pratt master, sailed for the Argentine Reiding, though a number of cars were Republic last week, with part of her cars Ora hundred per cent of the teachers der on the United States Steel Corpora-

was the mother of Ernest C. Bowler, formetal as one of five privates from New the camers, and is planning to get some
of Wilfred Bowler of Bridgton. of these creatures in action. Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our thanks to the many friends and neighbors who so mail be clear for entrance to West Point, kindly and generously remembered us day. the fiders up to a certain number are Saturday night. We most certainly aptitions from the various commands in preciate your thoughtfulness.

The substitution of the country. Marston is a preciate your thoughtfulness.

\$50 Reward. Annuncement is made that the Boston & Maine Railroad has sold to a syn-A reward of \$50 will be paid for led soon after he was born. His mother ton & Maine Railroad has ness men the standard and new was born. His father dicate of Old Orchard husiness men the handled and now lives in Natick. For "dummy line" between Old Orchard and the arrest and conviction of the persite line Leslie has made his home Camp Ellis, recently abandoned by the Son or persons who broke into the South Paris High School building has been been plans to operate mo-Hyerhill. He is now 20 years of age, The new company plans to operate model of the new company plans to operate models with the has good luck he tor busses on the line next summer and the state of the second that if he has good luck he tor busses on the line next summer and second the second that if the venture does not pay, the short line will be junked.

South Paris 'High School building Dec. 19, 1924.

SELECTMEN OF PARIS.

Profitable High School Fair.

BRING IN DOLLARS.

Election of officers and a rehearsal of the auspices of the Athletic Assuciation, which was held on Friday, the last day of the fall term. The fair this year, afternoon and evening, was all held in As usual, each of the four classes had a booth or table, the several booths be-

staff are requested to be present Tues-day evening, Dec. 23d, as there will be The class of 1925 had a cross le booth, decorated in squares of green and white. They sold a variety of fancy The candy table was in charge of the ficially inspected the chapter. Supper class of 1926, and had a lively trade in was served at 6:45, and at the meeting nome-made candles and popcorn.

Sing Ling's Laundree, which was the Elizabeth Crockett Blake Tent, Daughtime-honored "grab," was run by the ters of Veterans, has elected the followclass of 1928, and some other articles ing officers: were also sold there. The Opeschee Camp Fire Girls also had a booth where they sold food of fers part of the time with hiccoughs, various kinds. The many friends of J. Hastings Bean, In the evening the three-act comedy, a long-time resident and respected citizen "When a Feller Needs a Friend," was of South Paris, will be pleased to learn presented by a cast of students of the In the evening the three-act comedy, "When a Feller Needs a Friend," was

school, as follows:

The first scene of the first act pro voked a burst of spontaneous applause, and the same thing was kept up right through the play. Most of it was really remarkable acting for young people of high school age, and the production is highly creditable to all concerned. The plot, such as there is, hinges around the necessities of three young professional men who are stony broke, together with the complication could be relatives in town. characters who found it convenient to falsely as married. This gave large with luncheon at 1 o'clock. opportunity for comedy situations all

he way along. \
. Mrs. Mae Stevens has done the ing for the play.

The high school orchestra, under the lead of Mrs. Shaw, furnished music for the evening, and a male chorus sang 'be tween acts.

It is thought the net returns from

fair will be well toward \$250. A program was given by the Junior High School in Assembly Hall Dec. 18, at 2 P. M. The program is as follows:

Double Quartette—Stephen Russell, Ava Lord, Howard Twitchell, Martha Jordan, Nelson Haskell, Geraldine Farrar, Mor-ris Judd, Amy Lord.

Sec.—Alice Jacobs. Treas.—Rupert Aldrich. This club has been granted memberpers and books scattered promiscuously ship to the Bates Debating League. The of the rooms were defaced with chalk. That the United States recognize the The object of the marauders was evi- present government in Russia." The club was formed with a membership of

> Mis Higgins and Miss Cates were Portland over last week-end. They attended a recital of the Portland municipal organ. Students in the Latin department are making cross word puzzles in Latin. Dorothy Dean and Ruth Brown have together completed one, and Verna McGee

Saturday afternoon two basket ball

Christmas tree was enjoyed by all. Program at "The Brick" Friday after-

Recitation, Marguerite Shaw—"Who Comes."
Poem, Grade S—"A Christmas Visit."
Pectation, Dorothy Hammond—"
Sounds."
Sounds."
(Company)

Sounds."
Poem, Philip Thomas—"Grandpa's Way."
Music, Grade 5—"Christmas Carol."
Poem, Grade 5—"O Little Town of Bethlehem."
Recitation, Barbara' Swett—"What We Can-Poem, Jarvis Davis—"Which Is Your Way?"
Poem, Estar Cummings—"A Forecast."
Recitation, Dorothy Adams—"Christmas Shop-

Music, Grades 3 and 4—"St. Nick's Visit."
Music, Grades 3 and 4—"O Santa Claus Lives
in the Northland."
Recitation, Lena Garnett—"Different Customs."
Recitation, Martha Briggs—"Christmas Day."
Music, Grades 5 and 6—"Merry, Merry Christmas Bells."
Peop. Pauline Paine. mas Bells."

Poem, Pauline Paine.
Poem, Reginald Hammond.
Music, School—"The Christmas Wish."
Poem, Gilbert Stevens.
Music, Grade 6, (two-part song) "Silent Night."
Poem, Grade 6—"Christmas Bells."
Nusic, School—"Gather Round the Christmas
Tree."

One hundred per cent in spelling

Grade 6: Genevieve Trask, Ava Grant,
Evelyn Rowe, Evelyn Record, Franklyn
Goldsmith, Pauline Paine, Lena Libbey,
Gilbert Stevens, Ralph Corliss, Earl
Briggs, Albert Judd, Alberta Paige,
Stanley Whitney, Ceylon Seely.
Grade 5, Dorothy Adams, Francis Martin, Solomon Gay, Mary Colby, Eather Cummings, Shirley Parsons, Harry Reid, State of Mrs. Richardson caught in a Rumford.

While on skis near ner nome on the leg in three places below winons Oliver, Gerald Twitchell, Arline Whitney, Lena Garnett, Muriel Titus, Whitney, Lena Garnett, Muriel Titus, Amy Lyon, town clerk and treasurer of Perley Swallow, Martha Briggs, Philip Rumford.

Thomas, Louise Maxim, Gordon Davis, Thomas, Louise Maxim, Gordon Davis, Rumford. Grace Foss, Stanley Foster, Dorothy Grade 4, Helen Merrill, Josephine

Rand, Eva Smith, Glenna Turner, Elia Cummings, Kathleen Foster, Marion Smith, Helen Powers, Lawrence Record, Jeanette Goldsmith, Ella Durrell, Cecil Stevens, Barbara Swan, Wilfred Combellack, Ira Briggs, Gordon Wing, Russell Mack, Lawrence Brown, Walter Gray. Grade 3, Sylvia Maxim, Electa Plum-mer, Beatrice Hall, Alta Harriman, Carlene Farnham, Barbara Davis, Arlene Butts, Norma Wilberger, Velma Harlow, Pauline Garnett, Marion Garnett, Jordan

lermo on the 13th at the age of 89 years, was the mother of Ernest C. Bowler, for-Lumber Choppers Wanted. Pay by the thousand or by the

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A FEW SUGGESTIONS

four candidates received the degrees.

Hand Bags and Wallets Books Diaries and Line a Day

In the Norway Municipal Court, Frank Andrews of Canton pleaded not guilty of keeping and depositing intoxicating liquor, but was found guilty, and was fined \$200 and costs, with sixty days in jail. He appealed.

Several parties have been fishing

NORWAY.

The following are the officers of No way Grange for the coming year:

At the meeting of Oxford Chapter,

- verne Anightiy.

-Eva Jackson.

ap.—Louise Gammon.

-Don Delano.

S.—Lawrence Brown.

as.—Howard D. Smith.

there was dancing. It was a very pleasthe complications caused by some of the The Heywood Club met for an all-day Christmas meeting with Mrs. Eva Jackheir purposes to represent themselves son at Green Elms, Tuesday, the 16th,

A Christmas Hymn. Sing, Christmas bells!
Say to the earth this is the morn
Whereon our Saviour King is born;
Sing to all men—the bond, the free,
The rich, the poor, the high, the low,
The little child that sports in glee,
The aged folk that tottering go,—
Proclaim the morn

Sing, angel host!
Sing of the star that God has placed
Above the manger in the east:
Sing of the glories of the night,
The Virgin's sweet humility,
The Babe with kingly robes bedight,—
Sing to all men where'er they be
This Christmas morn;
For Christ is born,
That saveth them and saveth me.

Sing, sons of earth!
O ransomed seed of Adam, sing!
God liveth, and we have a king!
The curse is gone, the bond are free,—
By Bethlehem's star that brightly beamed,
By all the heavenly signs that be,
We know that Israel is redeemed;
That on this morn
The Christ is born
That saveth you and saveth me!

In South Paris, Dec. 11, to the wife of Orlan V. York, a son, Robert Francis.
In South Paris, Dec. 17, to the wife of Earle R. Clifford, a son, Earle Robinson, Jr.
In Norway, Dec. 18, to the wife of Morrill W.

STERIZOL

CHRISTMAS

Toilet and Manicure Sets

Pres.—Mrs. Rubira Sharon.
Senior Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Della Bickford.
Junior Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Maggie Libby.
Chap.—Mrs. Laura Thurston.
Treas.—Mrs. Elizabeth Sampson.
Council member No. 1—Mrs. Bertha Noyes.
Council member No. 2—Mrs. Lola McAllister
Council member No. 3—Mrs. Ida Gammon.
Patriotic Instructor—Mrs. Vesta V. Senior.
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through the ice recently, and got a few Pennesseewassee Lodge, K. of P., observed ladies' night Monday evening. Supper was served at 6:30, and later

The American Legion Auxiliary at its meeting with Mrs. Alice Fuller Wednesday evening elected the following officers

Pres.—Mrs. Rachel Brown.

"1st Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Helen Denison.
2d Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Dorothy Downing.
Sec.—Dorothy Truman.
Treas.—Mrs. Annie Prince.
Chap.—Mrs. Ida Everett.
Historian—Mrs. Catherine Myers.
Serg. at Arms—Mrs. Gertrude Mattor.
Ex. Com.—Mrs. Ida Everett, 1 year; Mrs.
Bella Fletcher, 2 years; Mrs. Eva Evirs, 3 years.
Mrs. Trying R. Witham was recently

Mrs. Irving B. Witham was recently given a surprise birthday party by her Albert Descoteau has been called to Sherbrooke, P. Q, by the critical condi-tion of a relative who was injured in an automobile accident.

Roy Fletcher and Arthur Olmstead have gone to Burlington, Vt., to work in the W. F. Tubbs snowshoe factory. The date of the clerks' ball has fixed as Feb. 10.

That Christ is born, That sayeth them and sayeth me!

Sing, O my heart!
Sing thou in rapture this dear morn
Whereon the blessed Prince is born!
And as thy songs shall be of love,
So let my deeds be charity,—
By the dear Lord that reigns above,
By Him that died upon the tree,
By this fair morn
Whereon is born
The Christ that saveth all and me!
—Eugene Field.

In Norway, Dec. 18, to the wife of Morrin W.
Emery, a son.
In Lovell Center, Nov. 23, to the wife of Roger
Eastman, a son, Carlton Thurlow.
In Norway, Nov. 27, to the wife of Horace
Maxim, a son, Horace Richard, Jr.
In Mason, to the wife of Fred Cash, a daugh
ter, Lillian Susie.
In Norway, Dec. 18, to the wife of Ashley F.
Edwards, a daughter, Marilyn Lee.

In West Paris, Dec. 15, Mrs. Ella M., wife of L. C. Bates, aged 73 years.
In North Fryeburg, Dec. 4, Mrs. Vina Flint.
In Portland, Dec. 9, Edward Stanley of Boston, a native of Dixfield, aged 75 years.
In South Albany, Dec. 12, Mrs. Drusilla (Bennett) Walker, formerly of Newry.
In Bumford, Dec. 13, Edwin E. Abbott, aged 63 years. years.
In Bryant's Pond, Dec. 18, Mrs. Eliza (Powers), wife of Sockalexis Newell.
In Buckfield, Dec. 18, Mrs. Abbie Cheeney, aged 79 years.

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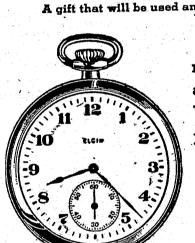
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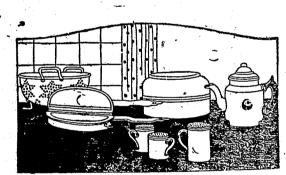
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time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

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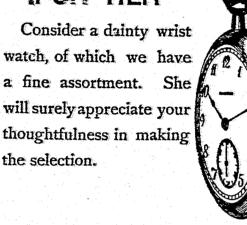
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Homemakers' Column

Pineapple, the King of Fruits. If you have not been in Florida you o not know the pineapple. To see this contains 20 cities, 407 towns, 67 organ-ruit at perfection you will have to go to ized plantations and 174 unorganized Biscayne, and especially the Keys, as all communities, the low islands in southern Florida are Maine has a direct coast line of about

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There are within the state nearly 2,000 on the mainland, from Miami, south, on the Keys they are grown by the hundreds of acres, and to a higher degree of perfection than in the tropics. The Keys are of themselves one of the wonders of nature, formed by coral insects, and are even more rocky than the mainland; like a great honeycomb, with a thin covering of rich soil, and the densect vegetation, only equalled in the tropics. All along the front of these Keys, facing the ocean, is a high beach ridge, back of this the only national park east of themselves one, until it is only a few feet above tide-water. On the ridge the planter builds his home, surrounded by luxuriant occas plants, and in front of Atlantic coast, a natural landing field for luxuriant coccs plants, and in front of Atlantic coast, a natural landing field for his house is the wharf, with his achooner aviators.

anchored some distance from shore. The average annual rainfall, evenly dis-frequently the road leading from the house to the wharf is lined by rows of average depth of snow, equal to 6.91 coanut palms, forming an avenue of

number their plantations by the hun- an increase to 13,000.

dreds of acres. Most of you have seen About one-third of the 768,014 people the fruit of the pineapple, and know that living in Maine are engaged in or sup-the bunch of leaves at the top, called the crown, will grow if planted. The base Of the 48,214 farmers in Maine all but

of the fruit is surrounded by sets like a 4,384 were born in the United States. crown, but not so large, and when the fruit is cut these are left on the stalks total value of farm property is approxito grow until the planter is ready to set mately \$200,000,000. em, generally in August or September. These are the main supply for new plan-tations, though suckers also are used, which spring from the roots of the old plant. The placespoint is the banana, dies after producing fruit, generally two to four from each plant, which are all eleven months of this year are \$117,191 to four from each plant, which are all taken off but one. The soil is so rocky that plowing or cultivation with the hoe is never attempted, and no attempt is made to set the plants in regular rows.

keep them free from weeds. The plants grow very rapidly during the warm, moist summers, and in walking through a patch of them you might say you were in a jungle. A row of spines on each edge of every leaf keeps you from penetrating very far into this jungle. This makes working among them very disagreeable, and the men generally wear overalls made of the heaviest duck, and sleeves and gloves of the same material. At the time of planting the pines, wherever the planter finds a hole of unusual size, and with sufficient soil in it, he plants therein a young banana plant, he plants therein a young banana plant, Edward W. Hyde of Bath, a director or a lime, so that by the time the pineof the port of Portland, has invented a

A limited amount of dry cleit cordipples have become unprofitable and new traffic signal device for automobiles,

Wood at \$10.00 per cord delivered in

itities of fruit until the soil becomes exhausted.

The pineapple plant, when grown from sets, generally commences to bear in about eighteen months after planting. The blooming season on the Keys is generally during January and February, when the fields present a beautiful ploture. As the time approaches for the flower stalk to appear, the center leaves of the plant assume almost every color of the rainbow, the most gorgeous shades of scarlet, red, yellow, and purple, and soon in the center leaves a little bud appears, like a little rosette of the most glowing scarlet imaginable; this soon assumes the shape of a small pineapple with its crown of leaves, and then the flowers appear, one at each protaberance or eye, and of a bright purple color. The fruit now rapidly develops in size, and is ready to ship during April and May. The fruit is not allowed to ripen on the plant, but is out as soon as it is full grown.

The mosquitoes are such a terrible pest in this part of the country that it is interesting and quaint sayings and dolongs of Uncle Daniel Decker, which he says he has never seen in print. It follows: "He and three other rights on the front of the car, one on each mudguard, and three green lights on the front of the car at the rear, one in the middle and one each at the extreme right and left. A single four-way switch is placed across the width of the car at the rear, one in the middle and one each at the extreme right and left. A single four-way switch is placed across the width of the car at the rear, one in the middle and one each at the extreme right and left. A single four-way switch is placed across the width of the car at the extreme right and left. A single four-way switch is placed across the width of the car at the extreme right and left. A single four-way switch is placed across the width of the car at the the extreme right and left. A single four-way switch is placed across the width of the car at the extreme right and left. A single four-way switch is placed across the width of the car at th

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know that a ripe one is in the vicinity, as you will perceive the most delicious fragrance long before you reach the plants, and when you pluck the great, mellow, yellow fruit, and carve it, and the juicy fiesh melts in your mouth, you will agree that no words can describe the lusciousness of a perfect pineapple.

There are many varieties of pineapple, differing much in size, color, quality and shape. The one known as the Red Spanish is the pineapple grown for market, and is more acid than the others. One of the finest is the Porto Rico, a very distinct sort, and the largest of all, sometimes weighing sixteen pounds when full grown.

pork for four of us! I thank Thee, there ain't any more of us.'" The report was they fared better as long as they boarded at that place.

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DAY-AFTER-CHRISTMAS SOUP.

ballbut upon tosst and mask with the would be built around it. ollowing sauce: Melt three tablespoonfuls of butter; in it saute one cup of fresh mushroom

MOCK MINCEMEAT FOR TWO PIES. of granulated sugar, one cup of seeded and very little else. raisins, chopped, one teaspoonful of ground cinnamon, one-half a teaspoonful of cloves, and one-half of one nutmeg, grated. In another bowl mix together two beaten eggs with one-fourth a cup 1 of older vinegar, one cup of molasses, and one-half a cup of melted butter. Stir into these the first mixture of crumbs, fruit, etc.; and mix well. Line two pie plates with a good crust, and fill with he mince. Cover with criss-cross strips of the pie crust, mixed with one-fourth of its volume of grated cheese, and bake in a moderate oven (350° F.) for half an hour. Serve hot. These make light and wholesome mince pies, also they are in-

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The pineapple growers are nearly all from the Bahama Islands, or at least their ancestors were, and are known in this part of Florida by the name of "Conchs," presumably for their liking for a stew made from that moliusk; however that may be, they are a very inhabitants of the Keys.

The first person to engage in the growing of pineapple, for profit, was the late Benjamin Baker, who planted the first patch of any size in America (about 1860 this was), and his plantation grew famous. He received high prices for the pineapples he grew, and soon induced others to plant, until now some planters in umber their plantations by the hundred to the control of the control of the United States for the District confidence of Maine:

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made to set the plants in regular rows, but wherever the planter finds a "pooket," or little hole in the rook, there he plants a set, endeavoring to have them from two to three feet spart each way. The only care they get after setting is to keep them free from weeds. The plants

cease to produce good fruit, the trees are of bearing size, and produce great quantities of fruit until the soil becomes existing and the soil becomes exist

full grown.

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in such a manner as to prevent bruising, better at breakfast wait for me to ask a and are then shipped to the northern blessing. The following morning on and are then shipped to the northern cities.

The pineapple, allowed to ripen where it grew, is quite a different product from that sold in northern markets. No wonder it is called the King of Fruits! Such fruit is superb indeed, and on a calm day one does not have to see an apple to know that a ripe one is in the vicinity, as you will perceive the most delicious pork for four of usl I thank Thee, there ain't any more of us.' The report was

the Casco Bay Steamboat Co. steamers touched there. It was before automoof the town and the novelty of the castle promised to make this a metropolis for Cut up the remains of the Christmas est land thereabouts the view from the Cut up the remains of the Christmas turkey into small pieces, break the bones into little bits, add dish gravy, cold stuffing, etc., pour over all in a big saucepan from three to four pints of water, and let the whole simmer for an hour. Strain, remove the bones, and press the meat, stuffing, etc., through a colander into the liquid. Add four bouillon cubes dissolved in a little of the soup, season with salt and pepper to taste, and also with salt and pepper to taste, and also with one tablespoonful of Worcestershire sauce or mushroom ketchup. Blend a is still one of the show places of the scant half-cup of flour with one-fourth a town. Fishermen of Casco Bay far outcup of softened butter, stir into the soup and let boil up once, keeping carefully stirred. Serve with Boston crackers, toasted and split.

HALIBUT A LA KING.

Arrange mounds of fine-flaked boiled halibut upon toast and mask with the

In it saute one cup of fresh mushroom caps, broken in pieces, or canned button mushrooms, siliced lengthwise. Add four tablespoonfuls of flour and three-fourths a teaspoonful of salt. Stir until frothy; add two cups of light cream, or rich milk, and stir until the sauce boils. Set over hot water. Cream one-fourth a cup of butter; beat in the yolks of three eggs, one-fourth a teaspoonful of onion juice, one tablespoonful of lemon juice, and one-half a teaspoonful of paprika, and stir into the hot mixture. Continue atirring until the egg is set, then add one pimiento, which has been cut in small atrips. Pour sauce over fish and serve. In the gift you receive you can some and not merely a game of skittles. You Measure one cup of fine-sifted bread slightingly of The Companion as a gift is brumbs, mix with one cup and one-half himself making life a game of skittles— The 52 issues of 1925 will be crowded

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